

**Career Studies Certificate: Pre-Allied Health  
221-190-01**

**AREA:** Pre-Allied Health  
Career Studies Certificate

**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:** The Pre-Allied Health Career Studies Certificate consists of 14-23 credits and serves as a guide for preparing the student to enter an allied health program.

**PURPOSE:** The Pre-Allied Health Career Studies Certificate (CSC) is designed to help prepare students for admission into one of LFCC's allied health programs, including Practical Nursing, Dental Hygiene, Surgical Technology, and Emergency Medical Services. Students enrolled in this CSC are not yet accepted into the Certificate or Degree programs listed but are completing their general education and prerequisite courses. After completing this CSC, students will apply for admission into one of the allied health programs.

**OCCUPATIONAL OBJECTIVES:** creates a pathway into and prepares students for allied health programs; such as, practical nursing, dental hygiene, emergency medical services and surgical technology

Course#	Title	Credits
SDV 101/100	Orientation to Health Professions	1
ENG 111	College Composition I	3
BIO	Electives <sup>1</sup>	4-8
	Program Electives <sup>1</sup>	6-11
	<b>Total</b>	<b>14-23</b>

<sup>1</sup>Electives: refer to the table below for specific course recommendation for each allied health program.

Choose from: BIO 141, BIO 142, BIO 145, BIO 150, ITE 115, HIM 112, PSY 230, EMS 111.

Elective	AAS in Emergency Medical Services <sup>2</sup>	Certificate in Surgical Technology <sup>2</sup>	AAS in Dental Hygiene (VWCC) <sup>2</sup>	Certificate in Practical Nursing <sup>2</sup>
BIO Electives	BIO 145 – Human Anatomy and Physiology for Health Sciences	BIO 141 – Anatomy and Physiology I; BIO 142 – Anatomy and Physiology II;	BIO 141 – Anatomy and Physiology I; BIO 142 – Anatomy and Physiology II;	BIO 145 – Human Anatomy and Physiology for Health Sciences
Program Electives	ITE 115 – Intro to Computer Applications and Concepts; EMS 111 <sup>2</sup> – Emergency Medical Technician Basic; EMS 120 <sup>2</sup> – EMT-Basic Clinical	BIO 150 – Microbiology; HIM 111 – Medical Terminology I	BIO 150 – Microbiology; PSY 230 Developmental Psychology; Humanities/Fine Arts Elective – see page 42	ITE 115 – Intro to Computer Applications and Concepts; PSY 230 – Developmental Psychology;

<sup>2</sup>Students must check the catalog for specific program admission requirements in addition to the courses listed above.